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Re: KPXQ (AM), Glendale, Arizona
Facility Identification Number: 55912
Common Ground Broadcasting, Inc.
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed August 14, 2007, on behalf of Common Ground Broadcasting, Inc. ("CGB"). CGB requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on September 2, 2005, and modified on February 14, 2007, to operate Station KPXQ with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits.¹ In support of the request, CGB states that completion of repairs has been further delayed by vandalism at the site.

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Our review indicates that the licensee has been prevented from restoring licensed operation due to causes beyond its control and has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KPXQ may

¹ KPXQ is licensed for operation on 1360 kHz with 50 kilowatts daytime and 1 kilowatt nighttime, employing a directional antenna during nighttime hours only (DA-N-U).

continue to operate during nighttime hours with an emergency nondirectional antenna and reduced power not to exceed 0.25 kilowatt. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. CGB must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.² CGB must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **July 18, 2008**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Charles" being the most prominent part.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Common Ground Broadcasting, Inc.

² See 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).